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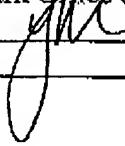
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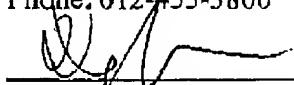
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully  
 requested that a 2-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the  
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